

10 April 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: PROJECT MERRIMACK

The following is a general summary of SRS "direction and requirements" provided pursuant to request for same in DDS (IOS) memo dated 6 April 1967 relative to Subject PROJECT.

a. Concur in "observations and proposals" in memo dtd 2 March by Chief, SAD.

b. Received FBI go ahead with caveat "they never heard of the matter."

c. Project should be considered in terms of "short" and "long" range requirements; short range (or immediate) requirements covering the period 8-15 April and long range, the next few months.

d. Short range requirements. As indicated in memo dated 2 March (ref. above). In addition to the Washington Peace Center (para. 1c of the 2 March memo), St. Stephens Church, 16th and Newton Streets, N. W., designated as the local center for the Spring Mobilization Committee was suggested as a principal penetration target. Assign 6-12 assets.

e. Telephone [REDACTED] (located with Security Duty Officers) was designated for use by assets to communicate warning of immediate demonstration at an Agency installation. Instructions regarding use, both to Agency assets and to SDOs are attached. It was emphasized that this communication channel was to be used in an "immediate threat" type situation only--Normal [REDACTED] channels otherwise to be used.

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f. Long range requirements. Involvement with the short range requirement should provide considerable information to enable development of the long range aspect of the PROJECT. Objective of the long range aspect should be to place one or more assets who will "cooperate" with local protest groups on a continuing basis. It is assumed that FBI concurrence may not extend to our long-range requirement.

